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**From:** Rineheart, Rachel [Rineheart.Rachel@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** 8/11/2020 5:43:06 PM  
**To:** Nelson, Leverett [nelson.leverett@epa.gov]; Panos, Christos [Panos.Christos@epa.gov]; Aburano, Douglas [aburano.douglas@epa.gov]  
**CC:** Mooney, John [Mooney.John@epa.gov]; Gross, Louise C [gross.louise@epa.gov]; Klassman, Debra [klassman.debra@epa.gov]; Kyte, Larry [kyte.larry@epa.gov]  
**Subject:** RE: Status of Ohio Nuisance Rulemaking

FYI – I just received a call from one of the attorneys who provided comment on the proposed notice. He noted that he is speaking with the press regarding the action and was inquiring on the status of the notice. I told him we are still in the process of reviewing and drafting a response to comments received and that I did not have an estimation on when a final decision would be published. He also asked if this was taking longer than usual. I said it was not, and that we are well within the timeframe required by the CAA.

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**From:** Nelson, Leverett <nelson.leverett@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 07, 2020 8:51 AM  
**To:** Rineheart, Rachel <Rineheart.Rachel@epa.gov>; Panos, Christos <Panos.Christos@epa.gov>; Aburano, Douglas <aburano.douglas@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Mooney, John <Mooney.John@epa.gov>; Gross, Louise C <gross.louise@epa.gov>; Klassman, Debra <klassman.debra@epa.gov>; Kyte, Larry <kyte.larry@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** FW: Status of Ohio Nuisance Rulemaking

LeAnn called this morning for an update. Is there anything I can share in terms of schedule?

Thanks.

-Rett

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**From:** Johnson Koch, LeAnn M. (Perkins Coie) <LeAnnJohnson@perkinscoie.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 09, 2020 1:13 PM  
**To:** Nelson, Leverett <nelson.leverett@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Mooney, John <Mooney.John@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Status of Ohio Nuisance Rulemaking

Thanks Rett. I appreciate the update.

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**From:** Nelson, Leverett <nelson.leverett@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 9, 2020 2:07 PM  
**To:** Johnson Koch, LeAnn M. (WDC) <LeAnnJohnson@perkinscoie.com>  
**Cc:** Mooney, John <Mooney.John@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Status of Ohio Nuisance Rulemaking

LeAnn-

We are still working out a schedule for the next steps. Nothing is imminent in the next few weeks. As you know, we have received numerous comments: 217 submissions made containing over 1800 comments. We need to complete responses

to comments and work with our Headquarters counterparts as part of the process. I can update you once we have a more definite schedule put together.

Thanks.

-Rett

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**From:** Nelson, Leverett  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2020 2:36 PM  
**To:** Johnson Koch, LeAnn M. (Perkins Coie) <LeAnnJohnson@perkinscoie.com>  
**Cc:** Mooney, John <Mooney.John@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Status of Ohio Nuisance Rulemaking

Sorry, LeAnn, for not getting back to you. We are looking into it. Your voice-mail implied it was soon, but I hadn't heard that. Again, John and I are investigating.

-Rett

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**From:** Johnson Koch, LeAnn M. (Perkins Coie) <LeAnnJohnson@perkinscoie.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2020 2:20 PM  
**To:** Nelson, Leverett <nelson.leverett@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Mooney, John <Mooney.John@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Status of Ohio Nuisance Rulemaking

Rett –

Do you have an estimate of when EPA will move forward with the SIP correction?

Thanks,  
LeAnn

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**From:** Nelson, Leverett <nelson.leverett@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Monday, May 18, 2020 10:37 AM  
**To:** Johnson Koch, LeAnn M. (WDC) <LeAnnJohnson@perkinscoie.com>  
**Cc:** Mooney, John <Mooney.John@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Status of Ohio Nuisance Rulemaking

LeAnn:

I checked in. The comments will be posted after the close of the comment period. Because of the Memorial Day holiday they will be available for viewing on Tuesday, May 26<sup>th</sup>.

Thanks.

-Rett

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**From:** Johnson Koch, LeAnn M. (Perkins Coie) <LeAnnJohnson@perkinscoie.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, May 18, 2020 8:32 AM

**To:** Nelson, Leverett <[nelson.leverett@epa.gov](mailto:nelson.leverett@epa.gov)>

**Subject:** RE: Status of Ohio Nuisance Rulemaking

Hi Rett –

It looks like EPA has received 175 comments to date but only 4 are currently available on regs.gov. Do you know if they others will be posted before the close of the public comment period on Friday?

Thanks,

LeAnn

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**From:** Nelson, Leverett <[nelson.leverett@epa.gov](mailto:nelson.leverett@epa.gov)>

**Sent:** Wednesday, April 22, 2020 9:25 AM

**To:** Johnson Koch, LeAnn M. (WDC) <[LeAnnJohnson@perkinscoie.com](mailto:LeAnnJohnson@perkinscoie.com)>

**Cc:** Mooney, John <[Mooney.John@epa.gov](mailto:Mooney.John@epa.gov)>

**Subject:** FW: Status of Ohio Nuisance Rulemaking

Dear LeAnn:

Attached please find the Federal Register notice extending the comment period.

There were three requests to extend the comment period from:

1. David Altman on behalf of individuals, former regulators, and a consortium of environmental and health organizations from throughout Ohio.
2. Anonymous request.
3. Communities United For Action (CUFA) - Clark Beck, Board President; Mary Metzmeir, Executive Director.

The comment period is extended to May 22, 2020. The previously submitted comments/extension requests are now available to view in the docket on regulations.gov. Please let me (or the contact identified in the Federal Register notice) know if you still can't see them. Thanks.

-Rett

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**From:** Johnson Koch, LeAnn M. (Perkins Coie) <[LeAnnJohnson@perkinscoie.com](mailto:LeAnnJohnson@perkinscoie.com)>

**Sent:** Tuesday, April 21, 2020 4:30 PM

**To:** Nelson, Leverett <[nelson.leverett@epa.gov](mailto:nelson.leverett@epa.gov)>

**Subject:** RE: Status of Ohio Nuisance Rulemaking

Thanks Rett. Do you know who requested the extension?

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**From:** Nelson, Leverett <[nelson.leverett@epa.gov](mailto:nelson.leverett@epa.gov)>

**Sent:** Tuesday, April 21, 2020 5:21 PM

**To:** Johnson Koch, LeAnn M. (WDC) <[LeAnnJohnson@perkinscoie.com](mailto:LeAnnJohnson@perkinscoie.com)>

**Subject:** Status of Ohio Nuisance Rulemaking

LeAnn-

Thank you for your call yesterday.

I do expect the public comment period to be extended. The extension notice should be published in the Federal Register tomorrow. Comments would then be due by 05/22/2020. I'm still checking on the ability to see other commenters' comments in the docket. Thanks.

-Rett

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